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FRANCE AGREES TO PRINCIPLE OF PROGRAM

Feared Paris Delegation May Raise Technical Objections to Root Plan

CHINA IMPATIENT

Want Shantung Matter Settled—U. S. May Question Japan's Failure to Quit Siberia.

Washington, Jan. 3.—Resumption of business by the Conference was brought in sight tonight, when M. Albert Sarraut stated that the French delegation has received favorable instructions from Paris regarding the Root submarine rules. Their final acceptance, however, depends on the precise wording of the declarations prohibiting attacks on merchant vessels and making such acts piracy.

This it is believed, presages early decisions on the naval matters still open and hastens the hour when the important Far Eastern questions will be taken up. Every indication is that the probably short discussion that will be given the Eastern questions will have enlivening features.

The Chinese manifested today further impatience over the Shantung delay and from the American delegation came expressions regarding Siberian item on the ageenda which seemed to forecast plain speech with Japan. These expressions had nothing to do with the Chita incidents of the last few days. They dealt with the failure of Japan to withdraw her troops from Siberia.

How far the French acceptance "in principle" of the Root resolutions will go was not revealed tonight. It is feared by those favoring the resolutions that the French will raise technical questions that may defeat affirmative action in this Conference. There are signs of another divergence between the French and the British, due to the technical questions.

The British, it is reported, in carrying out their purpose to maintain unlimited anti-submarine craft, announced during the debates on the proposal to abolish the submarine and the later proposal to limit submarine tonnage, are planning to put six-inch or eight-inch guns on some of their big and fast merchant ships. It is expected they will make these plans known when the relation of the merchant marine to the navies is taken up.

The British position, as has been stated before, is that while the Root submarine rules should be adopted and made as strong as possible and while there is much reason to hope that they will prevent such horrors as were perpetrated by the Germans in the World War, Great Britain will not depend upon rules for protection. She will do her best to make them effective, but at the same time she will prepare herself against the possibility that should another war come they will not be effective.

It is stated the French may ask that the status of liners armed with six-inch or eight-inch guns be determined—whether they are merchantmen or cruisers. If they are to be regarded as merchantmen would be safe from attack under the Root rules; if not merchantmen they would be legitimate prey for the submarines. The French also may ask that regulations be framed for the protection of open ports against bombardment.

Whether receipt of the French instructions will cause Mr. Hughes to summon a meeting of the Naval Committee tomorrow is not known. Ambassador Jusserand advised him this afternoon that the instructions had been received. When the Root rules last were discussd the Italians and Japanese also asked for time to communicate with their governments, and Mr. Hughes, of course, will wait until they are ready to proceed.

Virginians Need No D. C. Auto Tags

Washington, D. C., Jan. 4.—Virginians may operate their automobiles in Washington without a District license, according to a decision yesterday by the Court of Appeals, which held that the reciprocity agreement between that State and this city was as effective as if it actually were on the statute books.

The decision arises in the case of Arthur D. King, a resident of Virginia, who was convicted of operating his car in the District without a District license. The court recognized the fact that the law on the subject is not entirely clear, but admits that the reciprocity agreement gives the Virginian a right to invade the District, with only a Virginia license, as the court held, the real spirit of the law is embodied in the agreement.

Sidney J. Williams, Secretary of the National Safety Council, stated recently that the economic loss caused by industrial accidents amounted to one billion dollars annually.

WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY

(From our Special Correspondent.)

Washington, Jan. 4.—The District Court of Appeals today rendered a decision upholding the right of a bona fide resident of Virginia to operate a motor car in the District of Columbia without a District registration tag. The court reversed the decision of the police court which had fined Arthur D. King.

While the wording of the law is not entirely clear, the court points out, the existence of a reciprocity agreement between the District of Columbia and Virginia gives the Virginia resident the right to operate his machine here. The real spirit of the law is embodied in that arrangement, the court finds.

Defeat for all attempts to prevent the arming of merchant ships was predicted here today as a result of the positive stand of the British delegation against such a move in view of the failure of the conference to reach an agreement limiting submarine tonnage.

Believing that if submarines are not to be limited that merchant ships should have the right to protect themselves, the British have served notice that they will not consent to any agreement that might tend to restrict such right. They point out that the agreement against the mounting of a larger than eight-inch gun on any auxiliary ship is in itself a limitation of armaments for merchant vessels, but beyond this the British are not willing to go.

It had been the plan of Secretary Hughes had the submarine tonnage limitation been agreed to, to propose that the nations agree not to arm merchant ships in time of war and he still had an idea that if the Root resolutions went through it might be found practicable to disarm merchant ships in view of the rigorous rules of visit and search prescribed by the resolutions.

Governor William C. Sproul, of Pennsylvania, will be named Senator from that state to succeed the late Senator Boies Penrose within forty-eight hours according to Senator Watson, of Indiana, a close friend of Penrose who talked with Sproul for sometime over the long distance phone this morning.

Watson told Sproul that it was necessary that the appointment be made immediately so that the Republicans would have the vote on the Newberry case which comes before the Senate probably on Friday under an agreement adopted sometime ago Sproul replied that he had made up his mind to make the Senate place and said he would acquiesce in Watson's request to make the appointment immediately. Just how the Governor will go about the business of naming himself to office is not known, but the belief is that he will resign in favor of Lieutenant Governor Beidleman who will then appoint Sproul Senator to fill out the unexpired term of Penrose

While Postmaster General Will H. Hays has made no statement concerning the matter, close personal friends of the Cabinet officer in Washington believe that he will accept the offer to become head of the moving picture corporation at a salary said to be $150,000 a year.

"I am going to devote the next two weeks to a consideration of the offer made to me," said the Postmaster General today. "I have not had the time to give to the matter as yet but will make known my decision preciate that the promlem is a serious about January 14. Naturally, I apone with which to deal and that is why I am going into the whole situation very deliberately."

It was doubted in diplomatic circles today whether the Italian government would give its consent to the arrangement between the United States and Japan respecting the division of the former German cables in the Pacific Ocean between America, Japan and Holland without some assurances concerning the allocation of the ex-German cables in the Atlantic ocean. Italy, it is known, was not consulted during the American-Japanese conversations which resulted in an agreement to allocate to America the Yap-Gaum cable, to Japan the Yap-Shanghai cable and to Holland the Yap-Menado cable, although Italy under the Treaty of Versailles is entitled to a fifth interest in all the former German cables.

Isaac Gregg.

Dressmaking Class of Y. M. C. A. to Resume

The dressmaking Class of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., will meet tonight at the Chamber of Commerce after its Christmas recess All the members are enthusiastically at work on the making of dresses for themselves. Those who wish help in the planning and making of their spring wardrobe should consider joining the new class which will open February 1.

Miss Ebertha Roelofs, Town Secretary of the South Atlanic Field Committee of the Y. W. C. A., with headquarters in Richmond, is the guest of Mrs. Harry B. Caton, and will address a meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A,. at the Chamber of Commerce at seven thirty tonight. All Auxiliary members are especialy urged to be present.

LLOYD HELD FOR GRAND JURY FOR SHOOTING

Slayer of H. McCray Waives Preliminary Hearing

JURY PROBE HELD

All Witnesses Before Coroner Except One Declare McCray Fired First Shot.

Ernest Lloyd, colored alias Mutt Grooms when arraigned in the police court today before Justice Duvall to answer a charge of fatally shooting Herbert McCray, colored, through his attorney Carl Budwesky waived the formality of a preliminary hearing and was held for the action of the grand jury. All of the witnesses were advised to be ready to appear before the grand jury when wanted.

Eight witnesses were heard before the coroner's jury and the state at the investigation was represented by Commonwealth's attorney Howard W. Smith.

Ralph Stillard, colored, was the first witness to testify. Witness was in the poolroom at Cameron and Fayette and heard report of pistol and at the time Lloyd was in the poolroom and McCray was outside. He saw Lloyd fire although the first shot was fired from the outside, he said. Joseph Taylor, colored, testified he saw Lloyd shoot through the door, although he added, it was after one shot had been fired from the outside. Witness, however, did not see McCray fire.

Harry Wilson colored, manager of the poolroom, after Lloyd arrived heard a shot and then Lloyd fired, he said. There was a stampede of the patrons for exit through the rear of the poolroom, he said. Wilson testified he heard a report that McCray was "looking" for Lloyd with a gun.

The testimony of Ernest Clark, colored, was that he saw McCray come toward the poolroom door, but did not see him shoot.

According to Morris Russell, colored, the night preceding the shooting he met McCray and the latter had a shotgun and asked him where Lloyd lived and also asked witness if he had seen Lloyd Chandler Robinson, colored, testified that at the time of the shooting he was standing at the door of the poolroom and saw McCray approach and subsequently shoot and he saw Lloyd fire.

Herman Washington colored, the only witness for the state. He testified that Lloyd fired the first shot. Witness said he entered the poolroom and just as he did he saw Lloyd fire and then a shot came back, although he did not see McCray fire. Witness said he never saw a pistol on McCray. He also told the jury that McCray, pointing to Lloyd, remarked: "There is one of the men I had trouble with," although witness said McCray never told him what the trouble was.

The night before the shooting William Lucas, colored, testified he saw Lloyd with a shotgun.

A coroner's jury which met last night at Demaine's mortuary chapel to investigate the shooting of McCray returned a verdict to the effect that Herbert McCray came to his death from the effects of a gunshot wound inflicted by Ernest Lloyd, alias Mut Grooms, colored, December 29, 1921, between 11 and 12 a. m., at the southwest corner of Cameron and Fayette streets and died at the Alexandria Hospital at 12:40 p. m., December 30, 1921.

The jury was presided over by Dr. T. M. Jones.

Dr. M. D. Delaney, who treated Mc Cray, told the jury that the bullet entered McCray's body just below the heart and that the wound was responsible for his death.

Eight colored men testified before the jury. Most of the men asserted that the first shot was fired by Mc Cray, who was on the sidewalk in front of the poolroom at the southwest corner of Cameron and Fayette streets, and Herman Washington, colored, was the only witness to testify that the first shot was fired by Lloyd.

The jury was composed of John H. Trimyer, foreman; Walter C. Drury, William J. Schuler, Julian F. Poss, Louis F. Bargamin and Everett Rogers.

Jenkins-Nugent Wedding

The marriage of Miss Agnes C. Jenkins and Mr. Francis X. Nugent, both of this city, took place at 8 o'clock this morning at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Rev. L. K. Kelly, assistant pastor, officiating. The couple were attended by Miss Margaret Nugent and Mr. Owen J. Nugent, Jr., sister and brother of the bridegroom. Only the immediate relatives attended. Following a short wedding trip the couple will reside here. The bridegroom is a pharmacist at the drug store of J. E. W. Timberman.

ALEXANDRIA TO HAVE LOAN EXHIBIT

City to be Represented at Richmond In Historical Pageant

The Loan Exhibit planned for the afternoons and evenings of January 25th and 26th, in Christ Church Parish Hall has the strongest and most important backing of any local undertaking in recent years. Arranged by the Cameron Club, Mount Vernon Chapter and Sarah Franklin Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, the Colonial Dames, Mary Custis Lee 17th Virginia Regiment Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, and endorsed by the Chamber of Commerce and City Council, the event will appeal not only to Alexandrians but to the people of Washington and the hundreds of tourists who visit the city daily.

The purpose of the Exhibit is to raise funds for Alexandria's float in the Historical Pageant to be held in Richmond in the spring. But equally important will be the renewal of interest in the treasures of Alexandria's homes. Probably no city in the country is so rich in historic associations and there is hardly a single home which does not contain one relic of Colonial or Revolutionary days. Relics of later periods having exceptional historic or personal association will be exhibited also.

A committee of prominent women, whose names will be announced later, has been appointed to secure articles for the exhibit. So gigantic is the task, however, that those having china, silverware, glass, paintings, quilts, or similar articles which they would be willing to lend for the event, are asked to notify Miss Helen Norris Cummings or Mrs. D. Mauchlin Niven. Ample protection will be provided for the articles exhibited and the affffair will be held in a fireproof building.

It is a real privilege to have a chance to place on exhibition the treasures of our many homes, as well as a civic duty. In lending articles of historic value, not only the worthy cause of Education in Virginia is materially aided, but Alexandria will take her place with the leading cities of the State next spring. In addition to this, in viewing the exhibits and in hearing their history, the newcomers in Alexandria and the many strangers who will take advantage of this opportunity will be able to form a true picture of Virginia of the old regime.

The Parish Hall will be attractively decorated for the occasion. A number of the younger set, in Colonial costumes, will serve tea in the afternoons and for the nights musical programs of unusual interest are being arranged.

A. R. D.

U. S. COURT.

Many Small Cases Disposed of at Today's Session

In the United States Court for the Eastern district of Virginia today, Judge D. Lawrence Groner presiding, cases taken up and disposed of follow:

Harry Keiner and Clarence Cole, charged with having in their possession government pistols, sentenced to serve a day in jail each, they having already served seventy-eight and fifty-eight days respectively.

Joseph Goodlow, colored, charged with assault, sentenced to serve six months in jail.

James Lambert, charged with impersonating a government officer, sentenced to serve eight months, he having already served four months.

Lee Sing, charged with smoking opium, fined $100.

Blanche Washington, colored, charged with stealing clothing from the laundry at Fort Myer, fined $50 and sentenced to fifteen days in jail.

John S. Beach and Sullivan Beach, charged with shooting ducks with a gun of too large a bore, a nolle prosse entered in case of Sullivan Beach and John S. Beach fined $25.

Mary Edith Jackson, colored, alleged to have forged signature to post-office money order, sentenced to serve ninety days in jail.

B H. Tite, charged with sending alleged improper matter through the mails, sentenced to serve ninety days in jail.

William Jackson and Lewis Dade, colored, charged with digging potatoes from the government experimental farm in Arlington county, sentenced to serve ten days in jail each.

In this court Attorney Albert V. Bryan qualified as referee in bankruptcy for district No. 1.

The petit jury was adjourned over till 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Bible Thought for Today

A BENEDICTION FOR THE NEW YEAR:—The Lord bless thee and keep thee. The Lord make his face shine upon thee, and be gracious unto thee. The Lord lift up his countenance upon thee, and give thee peace.—Numbers 5: 24-26.

CAMPAIGN TO RAISE $75,000 FOR Y. M. C. A.

Carroll Pierce Named Chairman of Special Committee

IN HANDS OF FIVE

Expect Drive Will be Launched in Spring—Funds to be Used for Building.

The board of directors of the Young Men's Christian Association at their regular monthly meeting at the Chamber of Commerce last night appointed Carroll Pierce chairman of the special campaign committee. This committee consists of five members of the board and will have the selection of the general chairman of th campaign.

The committee will also decide on the date for the campaign and arrange other details that wil linsure the succes sof the plan to raise $75,000 for a fully equiped Y. M. C. A. building in Alexandria. The date for the campaign will probably be sometime in the early spring, but no intimation was given out as to the exact time.

At the same meeting Samuel Pitts was chosen chairma nof the nominating committee which will select the names of candidates to fill the vacancies on the board of the members whose terms expire this year. George K. Bender, whose term expires in 1923, resigned and E. A. Feldtkeller was elected to fill the unexpired term.

OPIE IN WASH. TO ANSWER CHARGES

Colonel Will Appear Before Senate Body in Connection With Watson Accusations

Washington, Jan. 4.—The Senate investigation into charges of Senator Watson, of Georgia, of illegal hangings and brutalities in the American Expeditionary Forces in France, is expected to take a more sensational turn today or next day when Col. H. L. Opie, of Staunton, Va., will appear to answer allegations that he killed two of his men in the Argonne drive. Colonel Opie, who was a major at the time of the alleged occurrences arrived here yesterday.

The first move for his defense will be a request that Col. John A. Cutchins, of Richmond, and Capt. A. D. Barksdale, of Lynchburg, brother officers of the accused, be permitted to act as attorneys for the Staunton man.

It is not known what disposition the Senate committee will make of the request. So far as could be ascertained last night none of the several witnesses who telegraphed or wrote Senator Watson accusing Colonel Opie of shooting his men has arrived to testify. This made it rather uncertain whether the Opie hearing would begin today or Thursday.

That the developments in the Opie case, which involves both charges and denials of ex-service men that Colonel Opie abused or killed men of his command, will have a bearing on the scope of the Senate investigation is generally conceded.

Should the Opie charges fall at it is believed the committee will take less seriously many other charges of the Georgia Senator and his prospective witnesses. Should they be sustained in whole or in part, it would bolster the Watsonian demand for a broader inquiry, taking in almost every phase of the conduct of the war so far as treatment of enlisted men is concerned.

Colonel Cutchins and Captain Barksdale arrived here last night and conferred with Colonel Opie As advisory counsel they issued the only formal statement given out for the Staunton officer on the eve of his hearing:

"We have nothing to give out," said Colonel Cutchins, "except to request Colonel Opie's case is presented before Senate committee in a proper manner. We feel confident from the many offers of assistance received from every source, enlisted men and officers alike, that Colonel Opie's conduct during every moment of time the occurrences are alleged to have taken place, not only can be accounted for, but can be shown to be highly creditable to him."

West Va. Aviator Killed

Pensacola, Fla., Jan. 4.—Lieuts. Frank Sloman, of Oakland, Cal., and Elton C. Herseman, of Weston, W. Va. aviators from the naval air station here, were killed late today when their airplane went into a nose dive at an altitude of 1,000 feet and crashed off Fort Barrancas wharf.

VIRGINIA NEWS PARAGRAPHED

Danville—Southern Railway on the Northern Division were delayed for two hours or more early today when a short circuit in the electrical semaphore system caused a condition necessitating the halting of every train for safety's sake. The trouble was soon remedied.

Lynchburg—The number of marriage licenses issued here during 1921 the total for the year being 472, 138 less than 1920, and fifty-three less than in 1919. During the year the two courts of the city granted 72 divorces, the ratio to marriage being one divorce to 6.5 licenses.

Richmond.—The First Virginia regiment, dear to the hearts of Richmonders and Virginians on account of its glorious records in past wars, is headed for the military scrap heap, according to information received at the office of the adjutant-general Friday, when the military board wired that the designations of the first and second Virginia regiments would be changed and that No. 116 and No. 183 would be substituted, but the number for each regiment was not specified. The two regiments form the infantry brigade, which will be known as No. 91. Heretofore, it was known as the first brigade of infantry.

Lynchburg—Randolph-Macon Woman's College here has let the contract for the erection of the Smith Memorial Hall, or students building, and work was started Saturday. The building is planned to be ready for use during commencement week in June. It will include adminstration and students' office quarters, and a much larger chapel than the college now has. The building is to cost $157,000.

Norfolk.—The American steamer Oconee, which in April, 1920 changed hands for $436,296, was on Friday knocked down at a marshal's sale for $25,500.

The purchasers of the vessel were Moore & McCormick, well-known steamship operators of New York. The vessel was formerly the property of E. H. Green & Co., of New York, who purchased her from an English concern.

Newport News—The Chesapeake and Ohio trunk line between Newport News and Richmond was blocked this morning when several cars of a coal train were derailed east of Morrison. No one was injured and the track was cleared by a wrecking crew from Newport News, the morning trains being delayed half an hour or so.

Funeral Held Herc

Funeral services for Edgar V. Scanland, 65 years old, who died suddenly in Washington last Sunday, were held this afternoon at 1 o'clock at Demaine's mortuary chapel and were conducted by Rev. Dr. S. A. Wallis, rector of Immanuel Episcopal Chapel. Burial was in Bethel cemetery. The deceased was 65 years old and was a farmer by occupation. He lived at Barcroft, Arlington county.

Police Vacancy Filled

Luther F. Hayden Chosen By Board of Commissioners

Luther F. Hayden was elected a member of the police force last night at a special meeting of the board of police commissioners held in the office of Mayor J. M. Duncan. He takes the place of Tanny F. Trigger, who was elected December 24 and who rsigned to accept a position at the Washington Navy Yard. The new policeman assumed the duties of his position today. There were several appliances for the place.

Slanderous Reports

Police Seek to Proceed Against Those Responsible For Their Origin

Two members of the police force of the city are endeavoring to trace the origin of certain false and slanderous reports circulated about them. They propose to bring not only criminal but civil action against those engaged in the circulation of these reports it is understood.

The first official cognizance of the reports today was brought to the attention of Police Justice Duvall by the two officers who directed that the party or parties responsible for the circulation of these reports be hailed into court.

Already the names of several persons alleged to have circulated these reports have been obtained and every effort is being made toward having a sweeping investigation made to determine their origin.

One report was that one policeman had been caught making liquor in Fairfax county and held for the action of the federal grand jury and another was that two officers, a companion of the first named, had been caught selling liquor. These reports are malicious lies and without any foundation. The officers think they were circulated to injure their reputation.

Official figures show that 81,851 people visited the Yellowstone National Park during the tourist season just closed.

FRENCH PRESS GIVES BRIAND BIG SEND OFF

Premier on Way to Cannes Conference of the Supreme Council

RELATIONS STRAINED

England Opposed to Alliance With France Is View in London—French to Maintain Concessions Claims.

Paris, Jan. 4.—Premier Aristide Briand has gone to Cannes for the most critical international conference since he assumed office early in 1921. Upon his meeting with Lloyd George and the allied premiers depends not only the fate of his own government, but that of the Anglo-French entente, with all the far-reaching effect upon European policies that for the next decade will result from the supreme council's decisions.

Briand has left with the French demands still ringing in his ears that he shall not yield on any of his government's reparations claims. He has left behind him, as well, considerable disquietude over the fact that Finance Minister Doumer, who signed the August agreement under which France was deprived of a share of the first 1,000,000,000 marks from Germany, will collaborate with the premier.

But although the press is pessimistic it is loudly cheering—much like the spectators at a football game—for the French team to "hold 'em" in the ardent hope that Lloyd George wil lnot be able to push the ball too far into French territory. And if Briand fails to check Lloyd George's rush, he will certainly be sent out of the game.

The Franco-British entente was never more strained than it is today on the methods to be adopted to relieve econmoic condition of Central Europe and Russia. Now it is subjected to the additional strain of the misunderstanding of submarines and the recent quarrel has produced the first possible atmosphere in which to begin a conference.

France's share in the mutual concessions which appear inevitable if an agreement is to be reached, probably will arouse the bitterest resentment throughout the nation against the statesmen consenting to any recession from France's demands.

Not only the French statesmen are hopeless, however. Raymond Poincare, writing in the Matin, "hopes that memory of the French-loving Edward the 7th, who loved Cannes so well, will dominate the conference." But Bainville, writing in La Liberte, warns the English to "beware—another time we might answer that your proffered alliance comes too late and is too costly."

London, Jan. 3.—Premier Briand's expressed desire that before the supreme council settles the other momentous problems at the Cannes conference a hard and fast alliance between Great Britain and France be contracted, meets with a vigorous and emphatic answer from semi-official quarters in London.

"Great Britain wants no alliance with France," it is declared "and is absolutely opposed to the movement aiming at the conclusion of such an alliance."

It is pointed out that present entente—if France will abide by the understanding of more than a decade duration—is sufficient for French needs.

But before Briand seeks an even closer relationship with Great Britain he must explain first the recent acts which have tended to make France the isolated power in European affairs, it is held.

If, in his announcement made just before he left for Cannes, the French premier means that he intends to put the proposition for such an alliance up to Lloyd George, he must, it is declared, realize that the recent French policy, both in regard to Germany and the disarmament movement, has made a written alliance even a more remote possibility than ever before.

TREASURER OF RETAILERS DIES IN RICHMOND

R. E. Knight, president of the Retail Merchants' Association of Virginia, this afternoon received a telegram announcing the death of I. H. Kaufmann, state treasurer of the Retail Merchants' Association of Virginia, which occurred today in Richmond. The funeral of Mr. Kaufmann will take place at 11 o'clock Wednesday in Richmond. The deceased was well known throughout the State, especially to the members of the association. Mr. Kaufmann had many friends in this city.

Industrial and life insurance companies in the United States had 68,000,000 policies out during the year of 1920.

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VIRGINIA MANUFACTURES

The Census Bureau at Washington has just sent out its bulletin of the 1920 census tabulating the manufactures of the United States for the year 1919. New York heads the list, with an output valued at $8,866,000,000; Pennsylvania ranks second, with an output of $7,317,000,000; then come in the order named: Illinois, with $5,425,000,000; Ohio, with $5,100,0000,000; Massachusetts, with $4,011,000,000; New Jersey, with $3,676,000,000, and Michigan, with $3,466,000,000.

Virginia ranks sixth among the Southern States. Texas comes first, with an output of about one billion dollars; then, in order, come North Carolina, with 943 million; Maryland, with 873 million; Georgia, with 693 million; Louisiana, with 676 million; Virginia, with 643 million; Tennessee, with 556 million; Alabama, with 492 million; Kentucky, with 395 million; South Carolina, with 389 million; Florida, with 213 million, and Arkansas, with 201 million.

Texas, of course, is an empire within itself. The day is not far distant when it will rank first in almost everything, outstripping even the states of New York, Illinois, Pennsylvania, and Ohio. This, however, is due as much to its magnitude of area as to any other one cause. Texas contains 265,000 square miles, while Virginia has but 42,000. That is, Texas is more than six times as large as Virginia. Square mile for square mile, Virginia manufactures annually nearly four times as much in value as Texas.

A striking example, however, of the aid of foreign capital in adding to the wealth of a state, is North Carolina. With only 6,000 square miles more than Virginia, she yet produces nearly a billion dollars in manufactures or about 300 million dollars more than the Old Dominion. The climate, topography, seacoast, proximity to coal and raw material are about the same. In fact, Virginia has more natural advantages than her sister state. It is only a question, therefore, of the investment of capital. North Carolina has 5,999 factories; Virginia has 5,603. North Carolina has 175,423 persons engaged in manufactures, as against Virginia's 139,178. North Carolina's invested capital in manufacturing is 669 million dollars, as compared with Virginia's 463 million. That is, North Carolina has over 200 million dollars more invested in manufacturing than Virginia. We think, however, that with the general awakening in this State that she will sooner or later surpass her neighbor to the South. It may be a rash prophecy, but we venture to predict that in 1930 Virginia will rank third among the Southern states, only yielding precedence to Texas and Maryland. If her manufactures do not surpass a billion, it will be because her people have not availed themselves of the matchless opportunities afforded by the superb endowments of nature. While North Carolina, on the other hand, has already attained a normal maximum and can henceforth only make a smaller and steadier progress.

Immunity From Disease

In addition to certain mechanical defenses against disease, such as an unbroken skin, saliva, tears, perspiration and the like, the body shows a varying degree of immunity, or the er of living organisms to resis infections. This immunity is exceedingly variable, being greater or less in different people and under different conditions, but the exact ways in which it is brought about are still in many cases far from clear.

Immunity may be natural or acquired. By natural immunity is meant an inherited characteristic by which all individuals of a species are immune to a certain disease. Man is immune to many diseases of the lower animals, and they in turn are immune to many diseases of man. Moreover, certain individauls have a personal immunity against diseases to which others of the same race or species are susceptible.

Immunity may be acquired in several ways. It is commonly known that one attack of certain communicable diseases, such as smallpox, measles, whooping cough, scarlet fever, infantile paralysis, typhoid fever, chicken pox and mumps, renders the individual immune to that especial disease for a varying length of time, sometimes for life. On the other hand, certain other diseases, such as erysipelas and pneumonia, appear to diminish resistance and to leave a person more susceptible to later attacks.

In certain diseases immunity may be artificially acquired by introducing certain substances into the body to increase its resistance.

Examples of this method include the use of antitoxin as a protection against diptheria or sera in pneumonia and other infections, vaccination against smallpox and typhoid fever whereby a slight form of the disease is artifically induced. Vaccination and innoculation have saved thousand of lives. Smallpox, once more prevalent than measles, was the scourge of Europe until vaccination was introduced. During the 18th century it was estimated that 60,000,000 people died of it, and at the beginning of the 19th century one-fifth of all he children born died of smallpox before they were ten years old. In countries where vaccination is not practiced the disease is as serious as ever, while in those where it is compulsory deaths from mallpox are almost unknown. Death rates from diphtheria and typhoid fever have been greatly reduced by the use of antitoxin and antityphoid vaccine. Thus in New York state before antitoxin was generally used, 99 out of every 100,000 population died of diphtheria, while the present rate is only about 20 out of 100,000.

In 1911, a United States Army Division of more than 12,000 camped at San Antonio, Texas, for four months. All of these men had been vaccinated against typhoid fever and only a single case occurred during the summer, although conditions of camp life always tend to spread the disease Thus it is easy to see that the most important single means of controlling epidemics and insuring individual immunity from certain formerly prevalent communicable diseases lies in vaccination or innoculation against them.

Contributed by the Southern Division, American Red Cross.

HIS MULE FOOLISH, IS DRIVER'S DEFENSE

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 4.—Frank Russell, colored, might have been driving a "foolish" mule last Saturday but in the opinion of Police Justice Simmons, that mule wasn't half as foolish as Frank. And Frank probably agrees with the justice.

Frank was arrested last Saturday on a charge of recklessly driving a team of mules and wagon and another charge of driving a team of mules while under the influence of whisky. The evidence was that Frank was drunk and that the mules ran into and damaged another vehicle.

Frank admitted his outfit had a collision with another wagon, but denied he was drunk.

"One mah mules was jes foolish en he jes drug de wag'n intuh de udder one. But mah boss say he gwine pay fer de damage," said Frank.

"That mule wasn't half as foolish as you were," said the judge. "You should know better than to drive a foolish mule while you are drunk. Twenty and costs."

NUXATED IRON

Over 4,000,000 People Annually Are Using Nuxated Iron. When your blood is starving for iron, no ordinary tonics or stimulants can put you right. Starving blood must have iron the same as a starving person must have food. But be sure the iron you take is organic iron and not metallic iron which people usually take. Metallic iron is iron just as it comes from the action of strong acid on small pieces of iron and is therefore entirely different from organic iron. Organic iron is like the iron in your blood and like the iron in spinach, lentils, and apples, may be had from your druggist under the name of Nuxated Iron. Beware of substitutes.

Six - Year - Old Traveled Through Places Never Visited by White Folk

Norma Snow, six year-old daughter of W A. Snow, of San Francisco, California, who just returned from a two-year trip, with her daddy and mother, to places never before visited by white people. The expedition covered about 80,000 miles in the very wildest country. The youngster is just as healthy and happy as though she had spent the two years in luxurious civilization. She was the only passenger aboard the S. S. Olympic who hung up a stocking Christmas Eve. The little girl was not disappointed for she found a big doll tucked away in her stocking.

ENTERED WRONG HOME IN ERROR AND IS JAILED

Danville, Va., Jan. 4.—Further details have been learned here of the death of R. A. Lloyd, a former resident, under tragic circumstances, at Crewe on Friday morning. The remains were brought here accompanied by his wife, who left immediately for her home to be with one of four children critcally ill with typhoid fever and another who has a broken leg.

Lloyd on Thursday night had purchased some shoes for his children. He appears to have mistaken his own house and to have entered that of another Crewe resident. The woman of the home in question called the police and Lloyd was taken to the town jail.

Officials had placed Lloyd in a cell in which was some inflammable material, and while they had gone to get coal to build a fire, it is reported, a cigarette in Lloyd's mouth ignited he inflammable material, and he sustained such fearful injuries that he died the next morning.

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TOMORROW
BILL and BOB
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"THE BAKERY"

TERSELY TOLD

At midday on the moon, President Very has demonstrated the temperature in the equatorial region reaches 356 F.

Four p. m. is said to be the rainiest hour of the whole twenty-four.

Roman custom dictated that a son of a dead man should conduct the funeral services.

One man out of every 25 is color blind, while only 1 woman out of 1,000 is likewise affected.

"Poison gas" can be made so solid that each soldier could carry a canister of it in his pack.

The Dead Sea contains no life of any kind except a few microbes, and sea fish put into its waters soon die.

Pennsylvania avenue, Washington, D. C. is 160 feet wide. It is a veritable parade avenue, and is known all over the world for its magnificance.

Red has been called the king of colors. The bull is not the only creature that resents red; the elephant, the horse, the dog, the cock, are all alike in this respect.

Stalactites hang from the roofs like icicles, while stalagmites are like inverted icicles, formed by the drip of water on the floor. Sometimes they grow to meet each other and form columns.

50th Anniversary of "Diamond Dyes"

Somebody out of touch with truth once said there is no sentiment in business. Another greater in wisdom, declared: "They profit most who serve best."

All this year a concern that helped put Burlington Vermont on the map of national business, is celebrating fifty years of successful service of the womanhood of the world. "Diamond Dyes" is half a century old and they are having a series of happy episodes to make the anniversary a noteworthy one.

THE "MOTHER OF MEDICINE"

Isis, the Queen and afterwards the Goddess, was called the "Mother of Medicine." In ancient Egypt, centuries before Christ, women were skilled in medicine. They knew the great value of medicinal plants.

Hippocrates, the "Father of Medicine," many centuries later, knew less of the merit of vegetable drugs than did the women of ancient times.

Lydia E. Pinkham, nearly fifty years ago, gave to women her Vegetable Compound, now known everywhere as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. This is a woman's medicine for woman's ailments, prepared from medicinal plants.

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"FIRST LOVE"
Pathe News
Tomorrow
MAX LINDER
In his latest comedy
"BE MY WIFE"
Also a single reel comedy

"Diamond Dyes" is a heroic example of the power of advertising for the plant of small beginnings now covers a city block. The business was built on "making good" the advertising that has made "Diamond Dyes" a house-hold. Possibly the greatest asset of this proved aid to economy is the good-will of families that run through generations. Young women tell that their mothers and grandmothers before them were Diamond Dye enthusiasts. They like the Diamond "service plan" which makes it clear that for a few cents it is easy to "dye old things new."

The Wells & Richardson people are going to make the golden jubilee of Diamond Dyes nation wide. They will do this by the biggest newspaper advertising appropriation ever made in the fifty years of service.

IT'S WONDERFUL SAYS MISS BYERS

Akron Young Lady Declares She's In Just Splendid Health Since Taking Tanlac

"Tanlac was just exactly what I needed to get me to feeling right," said Miss Kathleen Byers, a popular young lady of Akron, Ohio., living at 205 Allies Court.

"All during the past year I was not in good health by any means. I ate very little and even that little gave me indigestion. Almost any unusual noise or excitement would make me so nervous I couldn't keep still and at night I was as restless as I could be. I imagined all kinds of things happening and just couldn't sleep. I became very much run down and felt dull and listless all the time.

"Both my father and mother had taken Tanlac with splendid results, so I decided to try it. I began to improve at once and haven't had a touch of indigestion since I began on Tanlac. My appetite has come back, my nerves have quieted down and I sleep ever so much better. I have gained a number of pounds in weight and am in splendid health. I think Tanlac is truly a wonderful medicine."

Tanlac is sold in Alexandria by Edgar Warfield, Jr., and leading druggists everywhere.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Columbia Granite and Dredging Corporation will be held at Rooms 1 and 2, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock noon, on Thursday January 19, 1922, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

2-11c G. A. Bonnet, Secretary.

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Every man or woman who has heard of the wondrous health and beauty-making power of the vitamines in yeast, fresh vegetables and other raw foods will be glad to know of the amazing results being obtained from the highly concentrated yeast—Mastin's VITAMON tablets. These supply a proper dose of all three vitamines (A, B, and C) and are now used by thousands who appreciate their economy, convenience and quick results. Mastin's VITAMON mixes with your food, helps it to digest and provides the health-giving, strength-building nourishment that your body must have to make firm tissues, strong nerves, rich blood and a clean, active brain. They will not cause gas or upset the stomach, but, on the contrary, are a great aid in overcoming indigestion or chronic constipation. Pimples, boils and skin eruptions seem to vanish as if by magic, leaving the complexion clear and glowing with health. Be sure to remember the name—Mastin's VI-TA-MON. Do not accept imitations or substitutes. You can get Mastin's VITAMON Tablets at all good druggists.

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Tables Filled With After Christmas Bargains Tomorrow

Some of the biggest remnant bargains of the year will be found here.

THURSDAY

Just before our annual inventory many lines of desirable merchandise will be on sale at cost, some at less than cost and many of them at

Half-Price

Do not miss this bargain feast Thursday.

Do not fail to visit the
Ready-to-Wear Dept.
on the second floor, where women's coats, suits, furs and dresses are now selling at

Half-Price

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Mrs. Jerome Kauffman is spending some time in Atanic City.

Mrs. Fred List of Baltimore, spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Lambert in Fairfax treet.

Mid-week prayer services will be held in the chuches of the city tonight.

The High School Bible Class under the direction of I. E. Knight, Jr., met this morning in the High School building.

The Home Missionary Society of Trinity Church will meet with Mrs. H. C. Knight, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Midshipman Abert S. Moore has returned to the U S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, after visiting Miss Alma H. Jones.

The subject for discussion at the mid week service at St. Paul's Norton Memorial tonight at 8 o'clock, will be, "The Condition of Effectual Prayer." Prayers for the sick will be offered at 9 o'clock.

Miss Jeanette Cochran has returned to St. Hilda's Charles Town, W. Va., after spending the holidays with her aunt, Miss Cora Cochran, in King street.

Miss Helen Norris Cummings left during the week for Chicago where she is attending a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Woman's National Foundation.

Through a typographical error in the Gazette yesterday the name of Edward F. Fowler was given as one of the pallbearers for Robert F. Wade and it should have been Edward F. Lawler, of the Bricklayers' Union.

Considerable business of a routine nature was disposed of last night at the monthly meeting of the automobile bureau of the chamber of commerce which was presided over by John H. Trimyer.

The many friends of Mr. W. E. Swan, of Rosemont, will be pleased to learn that he has greatly improved from his sudden illness of several weeks ago, and left yesterday for Atlantic City, accompanied by Mrs. Swan.

Winslow Randolph and Overton Price have returned to Virginia Episcopal School, Lynchburg, after spending the holidays with their parents. Harold Price has returned to Augusta Military Academy to resume his studies.

At the Methodit Proestant Church this evening at 7:5 o'clock, there will be mid week service. The pastor will have for his subject, "Springs of Living Water." The choir will sing at this service. Everybody invited.

Among those returning yesterday and today to the University of Virginia are, Urban Lambert, Kenneth Stabler, Browse Burke, Edwin Graham, Charles C. Carlin, Jr., Forrest Remschell and High Marsh.

A special called meeting of Relief Truck Company No. 1, will be held in the engine house tonight. Some special and very important business will be brought up for discussion and it is hoped that all members will be present.

Sarepta Lodge, No. 46, I. O. O. F., will meet tonight in regular session. All visiting Odd Fellows will be cordillay welcomed.

Miss Marion Adams left yesterday for Harrisonburg where she is a student in the State Normal School after spending the holidays with her parents in Rosemont.

The Retail Credit Men's Association will meet in the Chamber of Commerce rooms tomorrow night. Some matters of much importance and interest will be brought up it is understood.

After the regular monthly business meeting of the Old Dominion Boat Club tonight the entire body of the members will retire to the Armory Hall to see the Boat Club team play. It is hoped that all members will find it possible to be on hand.

The annual election of officers of Columbia Engine and Motor Company No. 4, will be held tonight in the Engine House in South St. Asaph street. A large number of the members of the company is expected to be present.

At the Richmond tonight, for the first of a series of three runs, "The Old Nest" will be shown. This is a picture from Rupert Hughes' great story and it comes to our city with a great record. At the Ingomar Constance Binney will play in one of her greatest pictures, "First Love" and at the Idle Hour the famous Will Rogers will make himself more famous in the picture, "Boys Will Be Boys."

The Auxiliary Board to the Alexandria Hospital will give the second of a series of card parties and musical teas on January 10 in the Lee Camp Hall. Cards will be played from 2 to 4 p. m., and from 4 to 5 o'clock. There will be an interesing musicale. Those wishing to reserve tables should communicate with Mrs. Lawrence Perry. Tickets for the card party may be had from any of the members or Mrs. Frank M. Dillard, general chairman, but a silver offering will be taken for those coming in later just for the tea.

Registered at the Hotels today are At the Monticello:—G. B. Cocke, of Richmond, Va., T. H. Whelan, of Richmond, Va., Fred L. Sherry, of Newport News, Va., Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Whitcar and family and Miss Sophie Conrad, of Yorktown, Va., Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hallaran, of Cleveland, Ohio, L. P. Hallaran and J. P. Hallaran, of Cleveland, Ohio, Mrs. E. Wilkins, of Washington, D. C.; D. W. O'Neal, of Richmond, Va., W. P. Woodbury, of Rock Hill, N. C., H. C. Fox, of Winter, Va., C. G. Hendricks, of Clifton, Va., and Mack C. Malangly, of Washington, D. C. At the Rammel—S. W. Davis, of Richmond, Va., J. McNead, of Cleveland, Ohio, J. R. Turpin, V. B. Hoyt and James F. Malady, of Hartford, Conn., J. B. Farnish, of Culpeper, Va., R. J. Dunn, of Clifton Forge, Va., and C. F. Holt, of North Carolina.

A. L. I. Wins Fast Game

The A. L. I. basketball team won its 13th game of the season when they defeated the fast Silent Five of Washington by the score of 35 to 25. The game was a nick and tuck affair from start to finish, the A. L. I. forged a head the first half of the game, and were never headed, though the score was close all through the game. Seiple, playing forward for the soldiers put up a great game, scoring 8 field goals, and playing a good floor game. Williams, holding down guard for the soldiers, played a fine game, making 3 difficult goals. The defensive work of T. Hayden and Degroote was the outstanding feature of the game.

The following is the line up and summary:

A. L. I.	Positions	Silent Five
Seiple	forward	Miller
Alexander	forward	Johnston
Degroote	center	Ferguson
Williams	guard	Edington
Hayden, T.	guard	Scott

Sub.—Peyton for Degroote Hayden for Alexander. Goals from floor—Seiple 8. Alexander 3. Degroote 3, Williams 3, Miller 3, Johnson 6, Ferguson 2. Free Toss—Miller 3, Seiple 1. Referee Mr. Cockrell. Umpire Mr. Entwisle.

On Saturday night the A. L. I. will engage the Arlington A. C. in the first game for the championship of Northern Virginia.

Defination of U. S. Rail Bouad

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Definition of the powers and authority of the United States Railway Labor Board is hoped for by both the board and the Pennsylvania Railroad as the result of the injunction hearing before Judge Landis in the United States district court today.

The Pennsylvania has brought suit for injunction to restrain the board from declaring that the road has violated its order. The case arises out of a complaint by the federated shop crafts of the Pennsylvania system that its organization had been ignored in the election of employes' representatives with whom the road discussd working rules.

The labor board ordered the Pennsylvania to hold a new election and to place the shop crafts on the ballot as an organization. This the road refused to do, contending that the board has no authority to enforce such a ruling.

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RESERVE BOARD REPORTS GAIN

Business continues its upward trend toward normal, according to the Federal Reserve Board.

Comparison of the year end reports with those of the corresponding month of 1920 shows a gradual restoration of tendency despite the fact that the month of December, usually a period of transitions, receded somewhat from the higher levels of the autumn months.

"Chief importance is usually assigned to the close of the year to the holiday trade," the board's state ment reads, "emphasis being rather on the side of distribution than on the side of prpduction. This intensified demand serves to bring into actual use the goods produced in the earlier period."

Manufacturing conditions, however the board points out are far from uniform throughout the country. The steel and iron industries are in a seasonal slump. Textiles remain practically the same as last month. In the clothing and leather industries simliar conditions prevail.

Because of the relatively lower prices realized both for cereals and for cotton, which have proved discouraging, to trade in the agricultural districts and have also retarded the liquidation of frozen loans, business in agricultural tural districts and have also retarded the liquidation of frozen loans, business in agricultural machinery and general merchandise in agricultural districts shows a decline. However, the situation is regarded as favorable as compared with conditions a year ago.

The improvement in European exchange has helped foreign trade to some extent within the last month, the statement concludes. But disturbed conditions in various businessf mod om do morod om do mod ness relations uncertain. Rates of interest, already well down since autumn, have tended still further down ward during December, due partly to the fact that there was no foreign outlet for American capital.

"That young man says he's tired of asking you to marry him only to be refused."

"I'm sorry to hear it," replied Miss Cayenne. "Proposing is about the only interesting thing he does in a conversational way."—Washington Star.

The market price of radium is about $4,500,000 an ounce.

GOV. SPROUL DELAYS ACTION

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 4.—Gov. William C. Spoul last night dismissed reports that he would resign as Governor to be appointed United States Senator within 48 hours by saying the question of the successor to Boies Penrose would not be settled for some days, possibly not until early next week.

"Messages and letters have been coming to me from all over the State, but it will be some days before I reach a decision. It may be next week. There are a number of people I want to see, including Senator William E. Crow, who is in a hospital at Pittsburgh," said the Governor. "My plan is to see some frineds in Philadelphia tomorrow, and possibly to go, toward the end of the week, to Pittsburgh. I have no announcement to make."

The Governor declined to comment on the statement of Senator Watson that he would resign, or the reports to the same effect circulated here today.

During the day many friends and officials called him on the telephone regarding the Senatorship. Some urged him to remain as Governor, but the majority advised him to resign and be appointed Senator. He said frankly he had been impressed by the number of the latter.

Thin People Should Take Phosphate

Says Nothing Like Plain Argo-Phosphate to Put On Firm, Solid, Stay There Flesh and Muscle and Increase Strength, Vim, Vigor and Nerve Force.

Physicians claim there is nothing that will increase weight, strength and endurance like organic phosphate commonly known by druggists as argo-phosphate; it is inexpensive and is sold by all leading druggists everywhere under a guarantee to give satisfaction or money refunded. Weakness and thinness are usually due to starved nervous conditions.

Our bodies need more phosphates than are contained in the foods we eat.

If you wish a more rounded figure and plump well-developed arms, neck and bust in place of hollows you should simply take plain argo-phosphate as it builds up and restores rundown nervous conditions by phosphatizing the system. It transforms the appearance and an increase in weight is often times quickly produced. The increase in weight also aids in improving the general health. Sleeplessness, nervousness, lack of energy and ambition quickly disappear.

Pale cheeks are changed to rosy ones and dull eyes become bright.

Miss Lena Brown of Atlanta, Ga., who only weighed 90 pounds reports she gained 10 pounds in two weeks time and says argo-phosphate has made a different person of her and she has never felt better in her life.

SPECIAL NOTICE:—Owing to the fact that so many physicians and druggists are recommending argo-phosphate there will be found in the market numerous substitutes for the genuine article. All imitations are inferior preparations and owing to its unusual flesh producing qualities it should not be used by any one unless they desire to put on flesh and increase in weight.

Real Estate Transfers

Property sales just recorded in the office of the clerk of the court follow: F. W. Hume and wife to Frank E. Good and wife, house and lot 5, block 20, section 4 Rosemont; John M. Johnson to James R. Caton the former's half interest in the office building on the west side of Fairfax between King and Prince streets; the city council of Alexandria to Mrs. Bena Cox, lot 13, block 4, section 1, George Washington Park.

"Late for reveille again, I see, O'Malley," snorted the irate captain. "How do you account for this persistent tardiness?"

"'Tis inherited, sir," answered Private O'Malley. "Me father was the late Michael O'Malley."—*The American Legion Weekly.*

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NOTICE

Citizens National Bank,

Alexandria, Va., Dec. 10, 1921.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens National Bank, will be held at their banking house at 12 noon to 1 p. m., on Tuesday, January 10th 1922, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that might properly come before the meeting.

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Mahogany Cabinet, letter size	18.90
Oak Cabinet, cap size	18.90
Mahogany Cabinet, cap size	21.40
Transfer Cases, per unit	2.70

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SATURDAY, JAN. 1, 1814

Communication For The Alexandria Gazette

First day of January, 1814—happy day, of a happy New Year!! which ushers a host of new taxes; after the people, by war and commercial restrictions, are too much impoverished to pay them.

"And all went to be taxed."—Luke 2: 8.

"Go ye, get you straw where ye can find it: *Yet not ought of your work shall be diminished.*"

"And the Task Master hasted them saying, fulfill your work your daily tasks, as when there was straw." Exodus, 5—11, 13.

VICTORY OF TEXANS A SENSATION

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 3—The Texas A. & M. College football eleven created the sensation of the season when it defeated the Center College team this afternoon by a score of 22 to 14. It was the first defeat for the "Praying Colonels" this season, and also the first time that the conquerors of Harvard saw their goal line crossed. It was Centres second defeat in six years, having lost to Harvard in 1920.

The sensational "Bo" McMillan and All-American end "Red" Roberts were helpless before the impregnable defense of the Aggies. The A. and M. line was unbreakable. Landers, the Aggie left half broke up the Centre aerial attack, and the A. and M. ends proved impassable.

A. and M. scored in the first period when Miller punted for A. and M. and Bartlett received the punt behind the Centre goal line and was downed in his tracks for a touchback. The second period was scoreless. In the third, fumbles proved costly to both sides. Centre scored when McMillan for A. and M. fumbled on his own 25-yard line, and tanner recovered and ran to A. and M.'s 3 yard line where Snoddy carried the ball over for a touchdown.

Roberts kicked goal.

Following in the face of this, A. and M. scored when Covington fumbled a kick-off and Murray recovered the ball on Centre's 30-yard line, form where a forward pass, Miller to Wilson, scored a touchdown.

McMillian, for A and M., kicked goal.

A. and M. scored again when Tanner fumbled on his own 20-yard line and line bucks by Johnson and McMillan placed the ball within scoring distance. Wilson took the ball over, and McMillan kicked goal.

LIQUOR CAR DRAGS MAN

Danville, Va., Jan. 3.—Frank Booker, bank cashier at Martinsville, is in serious condition there as result of being run down and dragged 300 yards by an automobile on the Henry County road last night. Torn, bleeding and with most of his clothes gone, Booker was rushed to his home.

The car, of expensive make, was abandoned and it was found to contain forty gallons of liquor.

O. D. B. C. vs. Ft. Wash.

The basketball team from Fort Washington will come to Alexandria tonight to play the Old Dominion Boat Club quintet. The soldiers are reputed to have the strongest team that ever represented Ft. Washington, and they are confident of victory. It is understood that many former college stars will appear with the soldiers and they expect to show local fans a few things about basketball. Captain Roberts has the Boat Club team in good shape for the game, and they will be ready to put up a great battle when the whistle blows Wednesday night. The game will start at 8:15.

Auto Gas Fumes Fatal to Owner

Danville, Va., Jan. 2.—Daniel Edward Nance 42, Southern Railway was found dead late last night seated at the steering wheel of his automobile in his garage. The coroner, who did not hold an inquest, states that death was caused by carbon monoxide fumes generated from the exhaust.

Nance was rigid in death, a gallon of liquor being found beside him. Last night Mrs. Nance heard the engine running and with the aid of neighbors forced the door and found her husband dead. The motor had been running almost twenty-four hours without a stop.

"BO" McMILLIN WEDS

Gridiron Star of the Praying Colonels Takes Bride

Dallas, Tex., January 3.—Members of the Centre College team of Danville, Ky., which meets the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College eleven at Dallas stadium here this afternoon, went to Fort Worth early today to attend the marriage of Alvin Nugent ("Bo") McMillin, one of the Danville stars to Miss Maude Marie Miers of Fort Worth.

Immediately after the ceremonies wedding party motored back to Dallas for the wedding breakfast, after which the squad will be ready for today's game, the last in which McMillin will appear as a member of the Praying Colonels.

JAPAN,S HOPES "BLASTED"

Vladivostok Jan. 3.—N. Nikoforoff, president of the Far Eastern Republic of Siberia, declared before the national assembly at Chita, according to advices received from there, that Japan's menace to the sovereign rights and territorial integrity of the republic had been checkmated by the presence in Washington during the arms conference of delegates from the Siberian republic.

M. Nikoforoff said that Japan's hopes for concessions and sacrifices on the part of the republic in exchange for recognition by Tokio had been blasted. He added:

"The admission of our delegates to Washington, though in the capacity of unofficial representatives, is a blow to the blockade which encircles the young republic.

Swim Canal in Fleeing

Seven Other Prisoners Escape En-Route From Pacific Fleet

Portsmouth, N. H., Jan. 3.—The United States transport Henderson arrived at the Navy Yard here yesterday with eighty-three naval prisoners from the Pacific fleet. Officers reported that seventeen prisoners had made their escape since the vessel left San Francisco, ten having jumped overboard when the ship was going through the Panama Canal and the remainder making their escape at points on the Pacific coast where the vessel stopped.

The prisoners were transferred to the naval prison here and began sentences of from two to five years. These prisoners are all enlisted men whose homes are east of the Mississippi.

Switzerland is electrifying her railways, to save importing coal.

India was hard hit by influenza in 1920. Not less than 6,000,000 persons died of the disease.

Sweden, with a death rate of 13.29 per thousand, claims to be the healthiest place on earth.

Harrisonburg —Five days were taken up in Circuit Court here in settling a suit brought to determine a boundary line between two farms. The land involved in the contest was said not to have been worth more than $5, but had been a cause of contention for years. The jury decided the boundary designated by the oldest deed should be recognized.

COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

Diseases of two kinds have long been recognised; those transmitted directly or indirectly from person to person, like small pox, measles and typhoid fever; and second, diseases like heart disease and apoplexy, which are not so transmitted. The former are the infectious or communicable diseases, and the later the non infectious or non-communicable. Communicable diseases are caused by infinitesimal living plants and animals, known as micro-organisms or germs, but while there are about 1500 known varieties of germs only about 75 are known to produce disease. These 75 belong to the group known as parasites, because they exist in living tissues of animals or vegetables and feed on them, producing at the same time poisons called toxins which interfere with the bodily functions and thus cause disease.

Communicable diseases are caused by specific germs only; that is, a certain disease cannot develop unless its particular germs are present. The germs of typhoid fever, for instance, can cause typhoid only, and not tuberculosis or any other disease.

Disease producing germs need for their development food, moisture, darkness and warmth; if one or more of these conditions is unfavorable, development ceases and if the unfavorable condition continues for some time the germs die. Neither can they live long out of the human body, but depend for continued life on a fairly direct transfer from person to person. They gain access to the body through mucuous surfaces such as the respiratory and digestive tracts and through breaks in the skin and the bites of certain insects. They leave the body chiefly through the nasal and mouth discharges, as in coughing, sneezing and spitting, and in other bodily discharges.

There are five routes that germs usually travel, four of which are called public and the fifth private. The public routes are water, milk, food and insects; the private route includes all means whereby they are transferred directly from one person to another, such as coughing, sneezing, kissing and so forth. Absolute cleanliness is a powerful foe to germs and the body has other defenses, among which are the saliva, tears and perspiration. An unbroken skin is also usually impassable to bacteria. Only the efforts of large numbers of people acting together can control the public routes of germ carrying, but the individual effort will have much to do to prevent transfer by the direct or private route. Coughing and sneezing into a handkerchief instead of into the air, keeping things, including fingers, out of the mouth, kissing on the cheek instead of in the mouth, keeping the body clean and many other simple things ahve a very important effect in preventing the spread of communicable diseases.

CARRIERS OF GERMS

There is one method of spreading infection which is very hard to control because it is hard to discover. This is the means by which well persons, who have no symptoms of illness but who carry germs in their bodies, infect the susceptible people about them. Some people have been known to harbor bacteria in their systems for months or even years after having an infectious disease, while others carry bacteria without ever having had the disease themselves at all. Such people are called "carriers" and they exist, unfortunately, in large numbers, which explains the spread of communicable diseases to people who have apparently not been exposed to infection.

The presence of pathogenic germs in well persons can usually be detected by bacteriological tests, and all people who handle food in any should be obliged to submit to a physical examination before being licensed.

Diseases are also spread by persons suffering from them in a form so mild or so unusual that they pass unrecognized. These persons and carriers go freely about the community, handling food, using common drinking cups, traveling in crowded street cars and in other ways coming in close contact with other people and spreading infection.

The whole problem of controlling infections sounds simple, depending as it does for the most part upon unpolluted water, milk, and food, extermination of certain insects and cleanliness in personal behavior. In practice the problem is not so easy. Public sanitation has performed miracles in the past, and will do much in the future; behavior, however, will continue to be influenced by many factors, social and economic as well as personal. Ignorance of the laws of health is an obstacle to progress, but in modern conditions even the instructed may be unable to control their ways of living and working. On the ignorant and on the poor the heaviest burden of sickness falls and they are the least able of all classes of society to combat it. Only when ignorance and poverty are abolished can the final stage be reached in the fight for public health, but every lesson of hygiene and sanitation that is taught one person or a group of people, either adults or children, brings desired end a little closer.

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Mrs. C. E. Poole, 1600 King St., Alexandria, says: "My back felt as though something heavy were pulling me down, and the pain was terrible at night. I was in such misery I would roll from side to side, but got no relief, I thought those pains in the small of my back would drive me wild. Headaches made me nervous and the least noise would irritate me. often got so dizzy everything would turn black in front of me. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and the backaches, headaches and dizzy spells left me and I got over my nervousness. Doan's gave me fine relief."

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All of our friends who have not received one of our 1922 calendars are invited to call at the Bank and receive one. A number have been mailed to those requesting it, but to those who have not requested we will be glad to mail one upon request.
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MISCELLANEOUS

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NOTICE

There will be a called meeting of Relief Truck and Engine Company No. 1, tonight at 7:30 p. m. Every member is urged to be present as business of importance will be transacted.

By order of the President.
3-1t. Frank Stuart, President.

NOTICE

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NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the German Co-Operative Building Association No. 5, of Alexandria Va., will be held at their office, No. 526 King Street, at 7:30 p. m., Thursday, January 12th, 1922, for the elecion of officers and for the transaction of any other business that may properly be brought before the meeting.

JUSTUS SCHNEIDER
308-13c. Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the West Brothers Brick Company will be held at the principal office of the Company, No. 111 South Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Virginia, on Tuesday, January 10th, 1922, at 12 o'clock noon.

E. Ethelbert Downham,
308-10c Secretary.

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An Aeroplane Hovered Above the City. Something Dropped

People scurried. No explosion. Someone ventured out. There lay the object—a stoneweighted envelope in which was an Ad for a mechanic AD-dressed to The Gazette Classified Columns!

1,600 ENGRAVERS ARE OUT IN NEW YORK SHUTDOWN

Seventy Commercial Shops Fail to Agree With Their Workmen

New York, January 4—Seventy commercial engraving shops, employing approximately 1,600 men, were closed here yesterday as a result of the failure of negotiators to reach an agreement ending the controversy between the Photo-Engravers' Board of Trade and the Photo-Engravers' Union. It was said that shops throughout the country employing members of the union would not be opened until the dispute was settled. The shops affected by the trouble are engaged in the advertising, book, circular and kindred trades.

Matthew Woll, international president of the union, was expected here yesterday to take charge of the situation, which developed as a result of a disagreement over the reduction of wages and a readjustment of working conditions. Photo-engravers employed by newspapers are not involved in the controversy.

He was cycling through a quaint, old-fashioned village, when he was thrilled by the sound of a woman's cry for help, followed by the muffled tones of a man's voice. He quickened his pace, to find a woman holding on to the handle of a cottage door, while from within it was evident that somebody was endeavoring to force it open.

"Give me a hand, mister," she cried. "I daren't let him come out!"

The cyclist dismounted, and by adding his strength to that of the woman the door was kept closed.

"Your husband I suppose?" he said.

"Yes," was the breathless reply. "He's got one of his crazy fits on today."

"Well, I should think you would be pleased to let him out."

"Not till this policeman's passed," panted the woman. "You see, Bill's very nasty with policemen when he's like this, and this one's too valuable to lose. I do his washing."—*Tit-Bits (London.)*

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7:37 a.m...	Washington-Danville	.. 3:18 p.m.
8:37 a.m...	Washington-Danville (Express)	.....
9:17 a.m.	New York-New Orleans	10:43 p.m.
9:22 a.m.	Washington-Harrisonburg (Local)	9:13 p.m.
3:47 p.m...	Birmingham Special	..12:18 p.m.
4:12 p.m.	Washington-Harrisonburg (Local)	11:03 a.m.
4:22 p.m.	Wash'ton-Charlottesville (Local)	10:58 a.m.
5:22 p.m..	Washington-Warrenton (Local)	. 7:53 a.m.
7:17 p.m.	N. Y.-Augusta-Asheville	7:13 a.m.
10:07 p.m..	Washington-Atlanta	.. 7:23 a.m.
10:17 p.m..	Chattanooga Limited	.. 7:28 a.m.
11:12 p.m.	New York-New Orleans (Limited)	8:23 a.m.

*Daily except Sundays.
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WASHINGTON-VIRGINIA RAILWAY CO. NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Winter schedule of trains between Washington, Alexandria and Mt. Vernon, effective 1:00 A. M., December 1, 1921. Daily except Sunday and holidays.

Leave Washington for Alexandria, Mt. Vernon and intermediate stations: A. M., 6:00, 6:15*, 6:35, 6:50, 7:05, 7:10, 7:15*, 7:20, 7:25, 7:33, 7:36, 7:40, 7:50, 8:00, 8:10, 8:15*, 8:30, 8:45, 9:00*, 9:15, 9:30*, 9:45, 10:00*, 10:15, 10:30*, 10:45, 11:00*, 11:15, 11:30*, 11:45, 12:00* noon, P. M., 12:15, 12:30*, 12:45, 1:00*, 1:15, 1:30*, 1:45, 2:00*, 2:15, 2:30*, 2:45, 3:00*, 3:15, 3:30*, 3:45, 3:53, 4:00*, 4:05, 4:10, 4:15, 4:20, 4:25, 4:30, 4:35, 4:40, 4:45, 4:50, 4:55, 5:00*, 5:05, 5:10, 5:15, 5:20, 5:28, 5:35, 5:43, 5:50, 5:55, 6:00*, 6:05, 6:10, 6:15, 6:20, 6:30, 6:45, 7:00*, 7:20, 7:40, 8:00*, 8:20, 8:40, 9:00*, 9:20, 9:40, 10:00*, 10:20, 10:40, 11:00, 11:15, 11:25*, 11:45, 12:15, 12:50.

*Mt. Vernon trains.

Leave Alexandria for Washington and intermediate stations: A. M., 5:00, 5:40, 6:00, 6:15, 6:30, 6:40, 6:45, 6:55, 7:00, 7:10, 7:17, 7:25, 7:35, 7:40, 7:42, 7:45, 7:50, 7:55, 8:00, 8:05, 8:10, 8:15, 8:20, 8:30, 8:45, 8:55, 9:10, 9:25, 9:40, 9:55, 10:10, 10:25, 10:40, 10:55, 11:10, 11:25, 11:40, 11:55.—P. M., 12:10, 12:25, 12:40, 12:55, 1:10, 1:25, 1:40, 1:55, 2:10, 2:25, 2:40, 2:55, 3:10, 3:25, 3:40, 3:55, 4:10, 4:15, 4:23, 4:25, 4:35, 4:40, 4:45, 4:52, 4:55, 5:00, 5:05, 5:15, 5:20, 5:25, 5:30, 5:35, 5:40, 5:45, 5:55, 6:10, 6:25, 6:40, 7:00, 7:20, 7:40, 8:00, 8:20, 8:40, 9:00, 9:20, 9:40, 10:00, 10:20, 10:40, 10:55, 11:15, 11:40, 12:15.

Leave Mt. Vernon for Alexandria, Washington and intermediate stations: A. M., 6:15, 7:15, 8:30, 9:12, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30, 12:00 noon; P. M., 12:30, 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 6:00, 7:15, 8:15, 9:15, 10:15, 11:15, 11:40, 12:15.

Leave Alexandria for Mt. Vernon, daily except Sundays and holidays: A. M., 5:35, 6:45, 7:45, 8:49, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30, 12:00 noon, P. M., 12:30, 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30, 7:36, 8:36, 9:36, 10:36, 11:55.

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Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac R. R.

South		North
	New York-Jacksonville	
3:32 a. m. ..	(A. C. L.)	11:30 p. m.
	Washington-Richmond	
7.57 a. m.	(Local)	11.47 a. m.
	New York-Atlanta-Jacksonville	
9:12 a. m.	(S. A. L.)	8:30 p. m.
	New York-Florida	
9:47 a. m.	(A. C. L.)	6:11 a. m.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
k10.20 a m....	((Local)	8.04 a. m.
	Washington-Richmond	
12.02 p. m	(Express)	2.16 p. m.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
z3.07 p. m....	(Local)	8.04 a. m.
	New York-Augusta-Florida	
3.32 p. m	(A. C. L.)	12.03 p. m.
	Washington-Atlanta-Birmingham	
5.17 p. m	(S. A. L.)	11.56 a. m.
	Washington-Richmond	
5.27 p. m.	(Local)	*8.17 p. m.
	New York-Columbia	
8:12 p. m.	(S. A. L.)	7:16 a. m.
	New York-Jacksonville-St. Petersburg	
	New York-Florida	
9.57 p. m. ..	(A. C. L.) ..	8.15 a. m.
	New York-Tampa-St. Petersburg	
10:02 p. m.	(S. A. L.)	8:23 a. m.

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S. D. Shelton, Ticket Agent, Alexandria, Va., J. B. Mordecai, Traffic Manager.

NOTICE
First National Bank,
Alexandria, Va.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Bank will be held at the Banking House on Tuesday, January 10th, 1922, at eleven o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing officers and for such other business as may regularly come before the meeting.

293-26c. George E. Warfield, Cashier.

AUCTION SALE

Thomas L. Carter, Auctioneer

Sale of valuable lease rights, patents, machinery, tools, supplies and equipment used by The Stoner Chemical Company, Inc.

By virtue of a decree entered in the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 24th day of December, 1921, in the Chancery cause of W A. Lyons vs. The Stoner Chemical Company, Inc., et als., the undersigned receivers of said Company will offer for sale at public auction at the plant of The Stoner Chemical Company, located at Montgomery and Fayette Streets in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, January 10th, 1922, the following assets, articles of machinery, supplies, etc.

Certain mining right lease of property, located in the States of Utah and Wyoming.

Patented formula used in the manufacture of alum.

Office fixtures and furniture consisting of:

One desk two chairs, one stove.

Machinery and equipment consisting of:

1 Hardessy Ball Mill.
1 10 H. P. Motor.
1 17 1-2 H. P Motor.
1 Rock Crusher.
1 Ingersoll Rand Air Compressor and Motor.
1 Pebble Mill and Motor.
1 Centrifugal Machine.
1 Hoisting Crane.
1 Switch Board and some electrical supplies.
1 Oil Pump.
1 Pump.
1 Set of Scales Osgood.
2 Iron Tanks one railroad size.
35 Copper and Lead Lined Tanks and Vats.
2 Hoisting Buckets chain and pulley.
3 Wheel Barrows.
2 Hand Trucks.
1 Set of Stocks and Dies.
2 Big Kettles, Iron.
1 Large Furnace.
200 feet of one inch rope, with block and fall.
Big lot of piping, different sizes.
1 lot of Boiler Equipment.
1 Lot of Fire Equipment some new hose.
1 Lot of Belting, some new.
1 Pipe Vise
1 Lot of Small Hose.
1 Lot of Pipe Fitting Tools.
1 Lot of Bricks, and Fire Brick.
Several Picks, Shovels and Rakes.
Material on Hand as follows:
2 Barrels of Oil.
1 Barrel of Paint.
1-2 Car Load of Alumnite Ore.
1-2 Car Load of Beauxite Ore.
1 Lot of Fire Bricks.
1 Lot of Lumber.

All sales will be for cash and will be subject to the confirmation of the court.

H. NOEL GARNER
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309-10t.

The weekly pay roll of the moving picture plants in Hollywood, Calif., averages $500,000.

A seat on the New York Stock Exchange costs between $85,000 and $95,000.

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Holds much of interest to the woman who is economy wise. Here are some unusually good values:

2 1-2 to 3 in. Linen Cluny Laces, yd. 12 1-2c

1 1-2 to 2 in. Linen Cluny Lace, a yard 8c

1 and 1 1-2 in. Linen Cluny Lace Edges, very fine weave, Regularly 19c. A yard 12 1-2c

Narrow Filet Crochet Edges, a yard 5c

60c Val Lace Insertions, a piece of 12 yards. Special, a piece 35c

72-in. White Cotton Nets, a yard—69c, 89c, $1, $1.50 and $2.

Loom Ends of imitation filet, Point de Paris edges, insertions and beading top laces, 19c to 25c values. A Yard 10c

Kann's—Street Floor.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

On and after January 1, 1922 there will be on sale a round trip ticket good for five days, including day of sale, at REDUCED RATES as follows:

Between WASHINGTON and

	Adult Fare	Children 5 years and under 12
St. Elmo	25c	13c
Hume	25c	13c
Mt. Ida	25c	13c
Del Ray	30c	17c
Lloyds	30c	17c
N. Braddock	30c	17c
Braddock	30c	17c
N. Rosemont	40c	20c
Rosemont	40c	20c
U. Station	40c	20c
Alexandria	40c	20c

These tickets will be on sale at ticket offices in Washington and in Alexandria for Washington and Alexandria patrons.

Passengers boarding cars at St. Elmo, Hume, Mt. Ida, Del Ray, Lloyd, North Braddock, Braddock, North Rosemont, Rosemont and Union Station may purchase round trip tickets from conductors.

This is a very desirable ticket for those of our patrons who do not care to make the investment in commutation tickets.

We desire to call the attention to the various classes of fares now offered between Washington, Alexandria and intermediate stations:

Class Ticket	For use by	Good for	Total Cost	Cost per Trip
		Between WASHINGTON and ST. ELMO, HUME, MT. IDA.		
52 Trip	1 person	1 month	$5.58	$.107
26 Trip	1 person	1 month	$3.25	$.125
25 Trip	Family of 5	2 months	$2.63	$.106
One Way	Purchaser	Day of sale	$ .15	$.15
Round Trip	Purchaser	Five days	$ .25	$.125
		Between WASHINGTON and DEL RAY, N. BRADDOCK, BRADDOCK		
52 Trip	1 person	1 month	$5.58	$.107
26 Trip	1 person	1 month	$3.25	$.125
25 Trip	Family of 5	2 months	$3.15	$.126
One Way	Purchaser	Day of sale	$ .18	$.18
Round Trip	Purchaser	Five days	$ .30	$.15
		Between WASHINGTON and N. ROSEMONT, ROSEMONT, UNION STATION, ALEXANDRIA.		
52 Trip	1 person	1 month	$5.58	$.107
26 Trip	1 person	1 month	$3.25	$.125
25 Trip	Family of 5	2 months	$4.20	$.168
One Way	Purchaser	Day of sale	$ .24	$.24
Round Trip	Purchaser	Five days	$ .40	$.20

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THE PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS

It has been estimated by physicians that the general practice of undergoing an annual physical examination by a competent physician would add five years to the average life of persons betwen 45 and 50. The habit of having such an examination should begin much earlier in life, however, as an examination of office workers in New York City several years ago proved. Two thousand young men and women, of an average age of 33, were given a thorough examination and some very startling facts of physical disability were brought to light. Out of these men and women, just in the early prime of life and supposedly picked because of their especial fitness for work, only 3.14 per cent were found free of impairment or of habits of living which were obviously leading to impairment.

Of the remaining number more than 96 per cent were unaware that they had any physical trouble and, except for this examination, would probably have gone on in ignorance until it was far advanced. Among the most prevalent defects discovered were chronic heart trouble, arteriosolrosis, high or low blood pressure, kidney trouble, decayed teeth or infected gums, and uncorrected faulty vision. The most serious fact, however, was that sufficient trouble to cause the examiner to refer the examinee to his family physician for medical treatment was found in 59 per cent of the total number of cases, while 37.86 per cent were on the road to serious impairment on account of too much alcohol, too much tobacco, constipation, eyestrain, overweight, diseased mouths, errors of diet, and so forth.

Professor Irving Fisher, in commenting upon the results of this examination said:

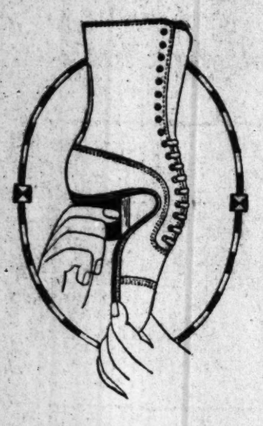
"I believe that it can be shown to the satisfaction of any reasonable person that increase (of degenerative diseases) is largely due to the neglect of individual hygiene in the United States. If a man were suddenly afflicted with smallpox or typhoid fever or any other acute malady, he would lose no time in getting expert advice and applying every known means to save his life. But his life may be threatened just as seriously, though possibly not so imminently, by arteriosclerosis, heart disease or Bright's disease, and he will do nothing to prevent the encroachment of these diseases until it is too late, but will continue to eat as he pleases, drink as he pleases, smoke as he pleases, or overwork and worry himlf into a premature grave."

Prevention of degenerative diseases, then, as well as of the enormous members of preventable accidents and injuries, depends in large measure upon proper living conditions and proper personal habits, and this one example of the large percentage of defects that exist should show how necessary it is that people should have complete examinations at regular intervals in order to check disease at its inception.

Italy requires wheeled traffic to keep to the left in large towns, but to the right in the country.

Lower Prices

Due to reduced labor costs a lower price level will go in effect on January 3 on all Cantilever Shoes. For full particulars inquire at our Washington store.



It Wasn't Rheumatism

"I thought the pains in my back were caused by rheumatism" said a woman who came into our store last week "and for a month I've been dosing with aspirin and rubbing on liniment. Today I went to the doctor and he said nothing was wrong but my shoes. And he prescribed Cantilevers."

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SCHOOL DAYS — By DWIG

WELL, I DIDNT GIT THE BIKE! WHAT'D I TELL YOU? I KNEW I WOULDN'T GIT IT— I NEVER GOT ANYTHING I WANTED FOR CHRISTMAS IN MY LIFE! ALL I GOT WAS THIS PAIR O' SKATES, AN' A KNIFE, AN' SOME BOOKS AN' THIS SWEATER AN'— OH, A LOT O JUNK. WHAT DID YOU GIT?
GIT? HUH! NOT A DURN THING I WANTED! I WANTED A RIFLE— I GOT THIS COMFORTER AN' MITTENS AN' CAP AN' SOME GAMES AN' A SLED AN' A LOT O CANDY AN' ORANGES AN' JUNK—
12-26-21 DWIG
THE UNFORTUNATES

NEW YEAR TWENTY-TWO

(For the Gazette)

The coming years shall not forget
the New Year twenty-two,
propitiously and full of hope it makes its glad debut. The First falls on that sacred day observed in every land by priests and people every where at God's expressed command, an hundred million pious souls to church and chapel go, to honor Him who reigns as King, in Heaven, a nd earth below. An hundred million heads are bowed in earnest supplications, an hundred million prayers ascend for peace among the nations. And thus the year is ushered in, a day to long remember. Good omen of the coming days 'twixt now and next December.

Officially the second day takes precedence and glory. Its scenes will linger in our mind, e'en when the year is hoary.

It seems that Providence ordained this wondrous convocation, decreeing that ambassadors from every clime and nation should mingle here on this glad day with us and with each other, and learn to clasp each others hand as brother claspeth brother. In clasp of hands the heart is warmed and fellow feeling stirred and better understanding had e'en though no spoken word.

May these events portend the time by prophet long foretold, when impliments of cruel war shall canker, rust and mould.

C. M. H.

Counsel—"I'm sorry I couldn't do more for you."

Convicted Client—"Don't menion it guv-nor. Ain't five years enough?"—The Bullock Way.

"We had not been hunting long when there lay a rabbit dead at my feet."

"What had it died of?"—Sondags Nisse, Stockholm.

East, West, Home's Best!

One by one they left her. Tom became a great lawyer in Washington. Kate went to New York to raise a family. Frank painted portraits in Paris. Jim, the black sheep, disappeared without a trace. And Emily, the youngest, eloped with a handsome Easterner

The scene of their home coming to the little, lonely mother is one of the finest bits of heart-drama ever screened.

See Rupert Hughes' Heart-Gripping Story of the Home

"The Old Nest"

at the

RICHMOND

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

THE CAST

Mary Alden
Dwight Crittenden
Cullen Landis
Helene Chadwick
Richard Tucker
Louise Lovely
Molly Malone
Nick Coglen
Lucille Ricksen
Johnny Jones
Buddy Messenger
J. Park Jones
Theodore Von Eltz
Roland Rushton
Marshall Ricksen

Orchestra Music each evening under personal direction of Mr. Dorfman.

Triangle Sport Club

A business meeting was held at the Triangle Sport Club's Hall Tuesday night, the meeting was called to order by L. E Roadhouse, Pres.

Only a small number of members were present, among the new officers that were elected for the coming year were, W. Mundy, secretary; H. Howard, treasurer; M. Moore, manager; A. Pettit, captain, for 1922 basketball team; R. Blunt, sub captain and N. E. Foard, reporter of club news, also two new members were voted into the club There are about eleven candidates out for our first basketball team. There will be a midget team organized Thursday night every one who would like to go out for the Midget Team will please see Mr. Roadhouse at 8 o'clock Thursday night. Club meetings will be held on every Tuesday of every other week. All members will please be present at next meeting as it is of great importance for the interest of our Club.

A Virginia man never saw an automobile until last Friday, his 98th birthday. That's one reason he's 98!—*Schenectady Gazette.*

The convert who recently got up at a prayer meeting and thanked the Lord that he had three wives in heaven was (so it is rumored) subsequently observed paying sixpence at a bookstall for a copy of "How to Prolong Life."—*Eve.*

"More peppermints are eaten in Glasgow on Sundays, than in any other town in the world," says a well known manufacturer.

MARRIED

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Emma Creditt, to Mr. Moses Simms, both of this city. 3-1p.

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